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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A insole insert for shoes for height re-orientation of user comprising,  
a removable insole insert of synthetic resin foam material having a tapered foot engagement upper surface, oppositely disposed depending sidewall surfaces and an arcuate back heel surface,  
a flat bottom portion and a tapered bottom heel portion,  
~~said side wall surfaces contoured laterally defining are vertical and~~  
~~tapered longitudinally from said back heel surface to an area of~~  
maximum transverse dimension between a tapered upper front heel portion surface and a tapered upper foot portion surface in longitudinally spaced relation to said arcuate heel surface,  
said insert is of a monolithic mass and is sculptured into said shaped configuration and said area of maximum transverse dimension defines the tapered upper foot engagement surface front portion is of a known

upper surface area less than that of said tapered upper front heel portion surface.

2. (previously amended) The insole insert set forth in claim 1 wherein said synthetic resin foam is of a cross linked polyethylene composition having an initial yielding then supportive composition.

3. (canceled)

4. (original) The insole insert set forth in claim 1 wherein said tapered upper foot engagement surface and said tapered bottom heel portion are in parallel spaced relation to one another.

5. (canceled)

6. (canceled)

7. (previously amended) The insole insert set forth in claim 1 wherein said tapered foot engagement upper surface provides an angular increasing surface height from front to back terminating at said arcuate back heel surface.

8. (original) The insole insert set forth in claim 1 wherein said transition from said bottom flat surface to said tapered bottom heel portion is longitudinally inward of said arcuate back heel surface junction therewith and with said junction of said tapered foot engagement upper surface.